

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In repatent application of

Cyril CABRAL, Jr., et al.

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Examiner:

Kielin, Erik J.

For:

SELF-ALIGNED SILICIDE (SALICIDE) PROCESS FOR LOW RESISTIVITY

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the telephone conversation of January 6, 2003.

As stated in the Interview Summary of Examiner Kielin, dated January 7, 2003, Applicant's representative called to determine if a Supplemental Amendment, faxed to the U.S.P.T.O. on June 5, 2002, had been entered since it had appeared that the previous action did not indicate that it was responsive to the Supplemental Amendment. Examiner indicated that the Supplemental Amendment had been entered on October 10, 2002, several days after the previous action had been mailed.

Respectfully submitted.

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